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Washington, DC
20250

Please Note: New vendors and subcontractors must supply all of the required paperwork (Appendix I, Financial Statement, and 3 Reference Letters) and must register in the Online Representations and Certification Application (ORCA). In addition, all Vendors must also be registered in the CCR within 48 hours after bid opening or your company may be considered non-responsive.

FV-304

Fruit and Vegetable Programs

Date Issued: November 13, 2007

Canned Dried Beans, Announcement FV-304, Invitation 034

The Department of Agriculture (USDA) invites offers to sell canned dried beans as indicated below and per the Announcement for distribution to the needy family and other domestic food assistance programs. Offers are due by 1 p.m., Central Time, Monday, **November 27, 2007**. Acceptances will be announced by midnight, December 10, 2007. Deliveries are to be made from January 1, 2008 – March 31, 2008.

Offers are invited from the trade for:

Refried Beans	24/#300 can	47,430 cases
Vegetarian Beans	24/#300 can	47,430 cases
Blackeye Beans	24/#300 can	24,480 cases
Lt. Red Kidney Beans	24/#300 can	19,890 cases

If you are unable to meet the early delivery periods, please do not bid on them.

All prime vendors are reminded that they are prohibited from subcontracting with companies or individuals that have been suspended or debarred.

All invitations with orders for the state of New York must have the pack date stamped on the outside of each carton. The pack date should be annotated as per the following example: (05/01/2003). Orders for the state of New York requiring this special marking will be indicated by (**). This applies to New York orders "Only," if and when they appear on an invitation.

Bids must be submitted electronically via the Domestic Electronic Bid Entry System (DEBES) on the Internet. Offerors who submit bids using other than DEBES, will be deemed non-responsive. Offeror must be assigned a Logon ID by USDA to access the site. The Internet address is: <http://pcsd.usda.gov/debes> which translates into a

connection of <https://pcsd.usda.gov:3077/mdbc1000.exe?> Once connected, follow the online procedures. A 'HELP' button provides detailed instructions for using the system or call 202-720-4517 for assistance.

Bidders are cautioned to bid only quantities they can reasonably expect to produce and deliver in accordance with the contract. Inquiries about Announcement FV-304, Appendix-1, the Commodity Specification for Canned Dried Beans, or this Invitation should be directed to the Contracting Officer, USDA/AMS/Fruit and Vegetable Programs, Commodity Procurement Branch STOP 0239, 1400 Independence Avenue, S.W., Washington, DC 20250-9410, telephone (202) 720-4517. An electronic version of this invitation can be obtained through the World Wide Web via the Commodity Procurement Home Page at <http://www.ams.usda.gov/cp>.

Purchases will be made on a delivered basis, subject to Announcement FV-304, to the listed locations. Delivery by trucks or railcars is optional to the contractor, except for those destination(s) which specify delivery by truck only or rail only.

Split shipments are indicated by a single asterisk. *

ANNOUNCEMENT : FV304
INVITATION : 034
COMM GROUP : 41 BEANS, DRIED, CANNED
COMM TYPE : 12 BEANS, REFRIED, CANNED
PACK SIZE : 30 24/#300 CAN

ITEM NO	DESTINATION CITY	ST	TRANS RESTR	QUANTITY (CSE)	PRICE PER (CSE)
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DELIVERY PERIOD 01/01/08 - 01/15/08					
001	COLORADO SPRING	CO	TRUCK ONLY	1,035	_____
	DENVER	CO	TRUCK ONLY	85	
	PUEBLO	CO	TRUCK ONLY	410	
002	DENVER	CO	TRUCK ONLY	960	_____
	GREELEY	CO	TRUCK ONLY	570	
003	CARTHAGE	MO	TRUCK ONLY	6,120	_____
004	KANSAS CITY	MO	TRUCK ONLY	6,120	_____
005	FARGO	ND	TRUCK ONLY	1,530	_____
006	ORANGE	CA	TRUCK ONLY	1,530	_____
007	SACRAMENTO	CA	TRUCK ONLY	1,530	_____
DELIVERY PERIOD 01/16/08 - 01/31/08					
008	CARTHAGE	MO	TRUCK ONLY	3,060	_____
009	LONG BEACH	CA	TRUCK ONLY	1,530	_____
DELIVERY PERIOD 02/01/08 - 02/15/08					
010	OKLAHOMA CITY	OK	TRUCK ONLY	918	_____
	TULSA	OK	TRUCK ONLY	612	
011	MESA	AZ	TRUCK ONLY	1,530	_____
012	SACRAMENTO	CA	TRUCK ONLY	1,530	_____
013	CONCORD	CA	TRUCK ONLY	765	_____
	SACRAMENTO	CA	TRUCK ONLY	765	

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014	SAN DIEGO	CA	TRUCK ONLY	1,530	_____
DELIVERY PERIOD 02/16/08 - 02/29/08					
015	CARTHAGE	MO	TRUCK ONLY	1,530	_____
016	KANSAS CITY	MO	TRUCK ONLY	1,530	_____
017	SALT LAKE CITY	UT	TRUCK ONLY	1,530	_____
DELIVERY PERIOD 03/01/08 - 03/15/08					
018	CARTHAGE	MO	TRUCK ONLY	1,530	_____
019	PHOENIX	AZ	TRUCK ONLY	1,530	_____
DELIVERY PERIOD 03/16/08 - 03/31/08					
020	SAN ANTONIO	TX	TRUCK ONLY	1,530	_____
021	CARTHAGE	MO	TRUCK ONLY	1,530	_____
022	KANSAS CITY	MO	TRUCK ONLY	1,530	_____
023	LONG BEACH	CA	TRUCK ONLY	1,530	_____
024	PORTLAND	OR	TRUCK ONLY	1,530	_____
TOTAL QUANTITY FOR COMMODITY TYPE				47,430	

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DELIVERY PERIOD 01/01/08 - 01/15/08					
025	OKLAHOMA CITY	OK	TRUCK ONLY	918	_____
	TULSA	OK	TRUCK ONLY	612	_____
026	CARTHAGE	MO	TRUCK ONLY	1,530	_____
027	KANSAS CITY	MO	TRUCK ONLY	1,530	_____
028	SACRAMENTO	CA	TRUCK ONLY	1,530	_____
DELIVERY PERIOD 01/16/08 - 01/31/08					
029	BATON ROUGE	LA	TRUCK ONLY	1,530	_____
030	CARTHAGE	MO	TRUCK ONLY	1,530	_____
DELIVERY PERIOD 02/01/08 - 02/15/08					
031	EAST HAVEN	CT	TRUCK ONLY	1,530	_____
032	CENTRAL ISLIP	NY	TRUCK ONLY	1,530	_____
033	LATHAM	NY	TRUCK ONLY	1,530	_____
034	SYRACUSE	NY		1,530	_____
035	WASHINGTON	DC	TRUCK ONLY	1,530	_____
036	BATON ROUGE	LA	TRUCK ONLY	1,530	_____
037	GALLUP	NM	TRUCK ONLY	1,530	_____
038	CARTHAGE	MO	TRUCK ONLY	1,530	_____

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DELIVERY PERIOD 02/01/08 - 02/15/08					
039	KANSAS CITY	MO	TRUCK ONLY	3,060	_____
040	HELENA	MT	TRUCK ONLY	1,530	_____
041	FARGO	ND	TRUCK ONLY	1,530	_____
042	LONG BEACH	CA	TRUCK ONLY	1,530	_____
043	SACRAMENTO	CA	TRUCK ONLY	1,530	_____
DELIVERY PERIOD 02/16/08 - 02/29/08					
044	BATON ROUGE	LA	TRUCK ONLY	1,530	_____
DELIVERY PERIOD 03/01/08 - 03/15/08					
045	HILLSIDE	NJ	TRUCK ONLY	1,530	_____
046	EWING	NJ	TRUCK ONLY	374	_____
	NEPTUNE	NJ	TRUCK ONLY	843	_____
	VINELAND	NJ		313	_____
047	PENNSAUKEN	NJ	TRUCK ONLY	905	_____
	PHILLIPSBURG	NJ	TRUCK ONLY	227	_____
	VINELAND	NJ		398	_____
048	COLUMBUS	OH	TRUCK ONLY	1,530	_____
049	OKLAHOMA CITY	OK	TRUCK ONLY	918	_____
	TULSA	OK	TRUCK ONLY	612	_____
050	KANSAS CITY	MO	TRUCK ONLY	3,060	_____

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051	SAN FRANCISCO	CA	TRUCK ONLY	1,530	_____
DELIVERY PERIOD 03/16/08 - 03/31/08					
052	DALLAS	TX	TRUCK ONLY	1,530	_____
053	CARTHAGE	MO	TRUCK ONLY	1,530	_____

TOTAL QUANTITY FOR COMMODITY TYPE 47,430

COMM TYPE : 18 BEANS, BLACK EYE, CANNED
PACK SIZE : 18 24/#300

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054	DALLAS	TX	TRUCK ONLY	1,530	_____
055	LONG BEACH	CA	TRUCK ONLY	1,530	_____
DELIVERY PERIOD 01/16/08 - 01/31/08					
056	CLEVELAND	OH	TRUCK ONLY	1,530	_____

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057	FAIRFIELD	OH	TRUCK ONLY	1,530	
DELIVERY PERIOD 02/16/08 - 02/29/08					
058	BIRMINGHAM	AL	TRUCK ONLY	696	
	MONTGOMERY	AL	TRUCK ONLY	834	
059	BIRMINGHAM	AL	TRUCK ONLY	411	
	HUNTSVILLE	AL	TRUCK ONLY	571	
	THEODORE	AL	TRUCK ONLY	548	
060	ORLANDO	FL	TRUCK ONLY	668	
	PACE	FL	TRUCK ONLY	862	
061	ATHENS	GA	TRUCK ONLY	765	
	ATLANTA	GA	TRUCK ONLY	765	
062	DALLAS	TX	TRUCK ONLY	1,530	
DELIVERY PERIOD 03/01/08 - 03/15/08					
063	HOMESTEAD	FL	TRUCK ONLY	1,530	
064	JACKSONVILLE	FL	TRUCK ONLY	595	
	WINTER HAVEN	FL		935	
065	LAKELAND	FL	TRUCK ONLY	835	
	ORLANDO	FL	TRUCK ONLY	695	

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066	CLEARWATER	FL	TRUCK ONLY	568	
	FORT MYERS	FL	TRUCK ONLY	542	
	LAND O' LAKES	FL	TRUCK ONLY	420	
067	JACKSONVILLE	FL	TRUCK ONLY	595	
	ORLANDO	FL	TRUCK ONLY	460	
	WINTER HAVEN	FL		475	
068	JACKSON	MS	TRUCK ONLY	1,530	
069	COLUMBIA	SC	TRUCK ONLY	1,530	

TOTAL QUANTITY FOR COMMODITY TYPE 24,480

COMM TYPE : 22 BEANS, LT RED KIDNEY, CANNED
 PACK SIZE : 24 24/#300 CAN

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DELIVERY PERIOD 01/16/08 - 01/31/08

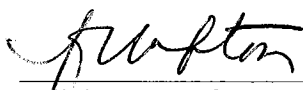
070	NEW ORLEANS	LA	TRUCK ONLY	1,530	
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DELIVERY PERIOD 02/01/08 - 02/15/08

071	JACKSONVILLE/FAS (BAYAMON, PR)	FL	TRUCK ONLY	4,590	
072	BATON ROUGE	LA	TRUCK ONLY	1,530	
073	CARTHAGE	MO	TRUCK ONLY	1,530	

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074	KANSAS CITY	MO	TRUCK ONLY	1,530	_____
DELIVERY PERIOD 02/16/08 - 02/29/08					
075	CARTHAGE	MO	TRUCK ONLY	1,530	_____
DELIVERY PERIOD 03/01/08 - 03/15/08					
076	JACKSONVILLE/FAS (BAYAMON, PR)	FL	TRUCK ONLY	4,590	_____
DELIVERY PERIOD 03/16/08 - 03/31/08					
077	KANSAS CITY	MO	TRUCK ONLY	3,060	_____
TOTAL QUANTITY FOR COMMODITY TYPE				19,890	
TOTAL QUANTITY FOR INVITATION				139,230	


 Felicitas C. Lofton
 Contracting Officer

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